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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Dear Department of Justice:

I think the proposed Microsoft Settlement is an injustice. I believe the company should have separated into two, if not three pieces: Operating Systems, Server Software, and Everything Else (Productivity Software). I think Microsoft's ploy of offering to flood schools with their products is ridiculous. (A decade or so ago Bill Gates was noticed because of his large charitable donation - of outdated software, not money. No one saw the irony in that?)

As a software developer, I feel that Microsoft goes against all the principles of best practice and fair play. the world would be a better place without them.

Sincerely,

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